

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1302

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A RESOLUTION to congratulate Zan Guerry upon his induction into the ITA Collegiate Tennis Hall of Fame.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly is pleased to specially honor and commend those highly successful athletes who, through unwavering dedication and unflagging commitment to excellence, become legendary champions in their sport; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy individual is Zan Guerry of Chattanooga, who was inducted into the ITA Collegiate Tennis Hall of Fame on May 26, 2010, in a special ceremony held in Athens, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, a 1967 graduate of Baylor School in Chattanooga, Zan Guerry enjoyed an amazing tennis career at Rice University and was selected as an All-American three consecutive years, from 1969 to 1971; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Guerry's Rice Owls were a juggernaut on the tennis court, never losing a match in conference play during his four years and finishing second in the country twice, coming just short of a national championship; and

WHEREAS, with his enshrinement, Zan Guerry becomes the third former player from Chattanooga's Baylor School to be inducted in the Hall of Fame, following in the footsteps of Brian Gottfried and Roscoe Tanner; and

WHEREAS, Zan Guerry exemplifies the unquestionable character and stalwart determination that are characteristic of a true Tennessean, and he should be specially recognized on this most auspicious occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we join with the family and friends of Zan Guerry in congratulating him

upon his induction into the ITA Collegiate Tennis Hall of Fame, commend him for his substantial legacy in tennis, and applaud him for his vaunted level of success and his dedication to excellence.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared